



**IT'S
THE LAW**

J.T.C.

You flunked! I gave you an "F"! How dare you write about the 10 Commandments?!

But it's *true*, Miss Crawford. They even made a movie on it.

It's all a lie, Tim Johnson! This is the last straw!

I don't believe a word of it. Who do you think you are? I know how to deal with *your* kind...

I'm coming to talk to your parents tonight. I could *suspend* you for this.

Uncle Bob... I'm in trouble. I wrote my research paper on the 10 Commandments and my teacher wants to kick me out of school. She'll be here at 7:00.

OK... I'll be there, Timmy. Pray for your teacher.

You got it, Uncle Bob!

I'll make an example of these people before the *whole school!*


i will not *tolerate* intolerant people!



Is this your father?

No, Miss Crawford, Mom's in the hospital. The doctor asked Dad to come over tonight. This is my Uncle Bob.

Oh... Uh... Good evening, sir...
I'm a little disappointed...



Here's some tea and cookies, Miss Crawford...

No, Thank you. I'll get right to the point.

Timmy's got a problem. He's pushing his religion in our school.

Did you *really* tell Timmy that Moses and the 10 Commandments were a lie?

I'm his history teacher. We *only* deal in facts – not fantasy.

May I ask you a question?

You *may*.

What do you know about Moses?

Who cares? I'm here to tell you Timmy is in trouble.

The truth is since you know nothing about Moses, *you're* actually the one who is in trouble!

WHAT?!

The most *proven* book in ancient history tells us all about Moses' life and his achievements.

You're talking about the *Bible*, aren't you?



Yes, and it is the inspired Word of the living God, Miss Crawford.

The Hebrew slaves were increasing in such numbers, that...

... out of fear, Pharaoh ordered every Hebrew baby boy to be cast into the Nile River.

Exodus 1:7-22

Oh, *brother!* How did I get *into* this?

One Hebrew mother tried to save her baby. She put him into a waterproof basket and released it in the Nile River.



Her baby was found by Pharaoh's daughter, who *loved* him and called him **Moses**. Exodus 2:1-10

Moses was raised in the royal family of Egypt.



But his real family was suffering as slaves. He *had* to make a decision.

One day Moses killed an Egyptian for hurting a Hebrew slave. Exodus 2:11-15



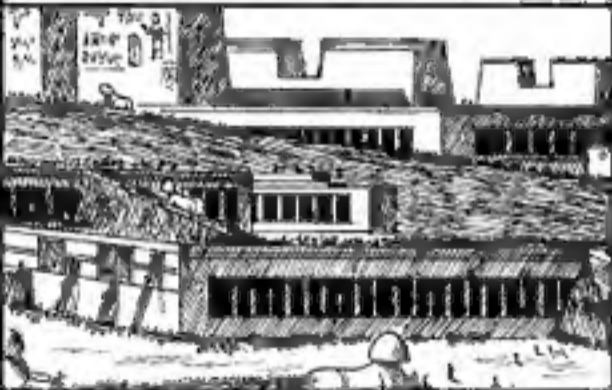
He had *made* his choice... and he fled Egypt to save his life.

40 years later, God sent Moses back to Egypt with a message for Pharaoh. Exodus 5:1-2

Thus saith the Lord...
Let my people go!

Who is the *Lord*, that I should obey *His* voice?

Egypt was the most *powerful* nation on earth and Pharaoh *refused* God's message.



There was *no way* mighty Pharaoh would release his slaves.

Glorious Egypt was on God's schedule for total devastation. While they laughed at Moses...



...God made His move by sending ten horrible plagues.

Egyptians were very *religious* people. They had many gods. So, when God brought the plagues, He shot down each of their gods, showing how powerless they were.



I didn't know that.

The following gods are found in: "Reading Egyptian Art" by Wilkinson, "The Two Babylons" by Hislop, & "Halley's New Bible Handbook".



God turned the Nile River into blood for 7 days. The Egyptians had to *dig* for their water.



God covered Egypt with frogs. They even got into Pharaoh's bed. He *begged* Moses to ask God to take them away.



Seb was the protector against things that come out of the ground. So God disgraced Seb by smiting the Egyptians with both lice and flies.



God hit the Egyptians with boils, on men and beasts, throughout all the land of Egypt.



Hathor had the head of a cow. So God wiped out all of their cattle.



Out of the sky came hail and locusts. God hit Nuf with these two plagues and she was unable to protect the Egyptians. Their crops were *ruined*.

The worst was yet to come!



Darkness that could be felt, covered the land for 3 days and 3 nights

God shot down Horus, the sun god. That was the 9th plague.

God told Moses. When I see the blood, I will pass over you and the plague shall not be upon you to destroy you.



That night there was a great cry, for **not one** Egyptian house was spared: not even Pharaoh's son survived.

The Egyptians were terrified!



Plague #10 would destroy the **firstborn** of Egypt

The Hebrews had to kill a lamb and put its blood on the two sides of the door and the lintel to survive



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Once the Hebrews were safe
God released the waters,
drowning Pharaoh's *entire* army

Wait!

What does
this have
to do with the
10 Commandments?

50 days after leaving Egypt,
God spoke to Moses from the
top of Mount Sinai in Arabia *



He gave Moses the laws that were
to govern God's people ** The first
ten were written in stone, and known
as "The Ten Commandments"

*Galatians 4:24-25

** Exodus 20 & 34

God said:

Thou shalt:

1. not have any gods before me.
2. not make any graven image.
3. not take the Lord's name in vain.
4. remember the Sabbath day.
5. honour thy father and mother.
6. not kill.
7. not commit adultery.
8. not steal.
9. not bear false witness (lie) against thy neighbor.
10. not covet.

(See Exodus 20 & Deuteronomy 5.)

Have you ever told a lie?

Of course - Who hasn't?

Ok, so what does that make you?

Gulp a liar

You broke the 9th Commandment and God *hates* lies.

"But the fearful, and unbelieving murderers idolaters, and **all liars**, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone Rev 21:8

Ever take home a paperclip from your classroom?*

Umm
hmm

So what does that make you?

Yeah. but.
(sigh) a thief


So now you've admitted that you're a lying thief. The 10 Commandments show us we are ALL guilty before God* — We are ALL sinners.**



* 1 Tim 1:9-10
** Rom 3:23

* 8th Commandment — Thou shalt not steal. He that deceiveth, neither hypocrites nor adulterers, nor thieves, shall inherit the Kingdom of God. (1 Cor 6:9-10)

For whosoever shall keep the whole law and yet offend in one point, he is guilty of all. James 2:10



"There is none righteous, no not one"^{**}
So how can we get to heaven?

I don't have a clue
Isn't God supposed
to be loving? Uh
Maybe by doing good
works?

NO... good works will *not* take
away our sins. Miss Crawford!^{**}

Well, what *will* for heaven's sake?
I mean, I'm in *deep* trouble

^{*}Rom 3:10 ^{**}Eph 2:8-9

2000 years ago Miss Crawford
God did a wonderful thing for you



Before the worlds were formed,
the crowned Prince of Glory
faced this terrible decision


Would He be willing to go to earth
and be born in a smelly stable in a
minority group



and have the stigma
of a questionable
birth, and work in a
carpenter's shop?

Would He allow them to curse
Him and hate Him for speaking
God's words to them?

Would He let them torture Him
and execute Him on a cross?



Would He be
willing to be
sacrificed as a
lamb and shed
His *holy blood*
to wash away
their sins to save
their souls?

And the Son of God said

"Thy will be done, Father."




"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son... that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."
John 3:16

Jesus Christ shed his *precious blood* to wash away our sins. (See 1 John 1:7)

He died, was buried, and 3 days later He rose from the grave..




This was God's love gift to you. What are you going to *do* with it?



I want it! But what do I do now?

Repent — confess your sins to Him; make Him Lord and Saviour...

He will forgive you and give you a new and eternal life.



I will! Oh God, I've broken your laws! I'm a sinner. Please forgive me and let me go to heaven! I want to serve You... Thank you, Lord.

Thank God I flunked Timmy!

Huh?

If it wasn't for that, I would have died in my sins and gone to hell!

But now I'm *safe* and forgiven...

Thank you for teaching *ME* about the 10 Commandments and Moses... But *most* of all... the Lord JESUS!

THE BIBLE SAYS THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO HEAVEN!

Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6

NOBODY ELSE CAN SAVE YOU. TRUST JESUS TODAY!

"That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." Rom. 10:9

1. Admit you are a sinner. See Romans 3:10
2. Be willing to turn from sin (repent). See Acts 17:30
3. Believe that Jesus Christ died for you, was buried and rose from the dead. See Rom. 10:9-10
4. Through prayer, invite Jesus into your heart to become your personal Saviour. See Rom. 10:13

WHAT TO PRAY

Dear God, I am a sinner and need forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ shed His precious blood and died for my sin. I am willing to turn from sin. I now invite Christ to come into my heart as my personal Saviour.

If you trusted Jesus as your Saviour, you have just begun a wonderful new life with Him. Now:

1. Read your Bible (KJV) every day to get to know Jesus Christ better.
2. Talk to God in prayer every day.
3. Be baptized, worship, fellowship, and serve with other Christians in a church where Christ is preached and the Bible is the final authority.
4. Tell others about Jesus Christ.

Here's help to grow as a new Christian! Read *The Next Step*, available at www.chick.com.

